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For: LIMITER AND SEMICONDUCTOR)
DEVICE USING THE SAME)

RULE 312 AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Please consider the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.